

REPATRIATION PRIORITIES

PLANNING

In 2022, the Kodiak Alutiiq/Sugpiaq Repatriation Commission met to discuss the next decade of repatriation work in partnership with the Alutiiq Museum. They established three priorities.



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THE COMMISSION

The Kodiak Alutiiq/Sugpiaq Repatriation Commission includes representatives from the ten federally recognized tribes of the Kodiak region, Alaska. The commission sets islandwide repatriation policy and advances the return of ancestral remains and objects in partnership with the Alutiiq Museum, the regional repatriation coordinator.



FOCUS ON ALASKA

Continue to focus on the repatriation of ancestral remains, especially those held by Alaskan Institutions.



CREATE A DATABASE

Develop a private, central place to access summaries of the ancestors repatriated and those awaiting return.



SUPPORT EACH TRIBE

Support the unique needs of each tribe in making claims, planning, finding funding, and providing temporary storage.